

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY HEADQUARTERS, 2ND INFANTRY DIVISION UNIT #15041 APO AP 96258-5041

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## MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Policy Letter #3, Command Values and Principles

- 1. This policy supersedes 2ID Policy Letter #4, Dignity and Respect for All Soldiers, 15 December 2004. This policy remains in effect until rescinded or superseded.
- 2. Reference. USFK Command Policy #3, Command Values and Principles, 4 June 2005.
- 3. This policy applies to all members of the 2ID team—service members, civilian employees, contractors, and family members.
- 4. United States citizens serving in the Republic of Korea are representatives of our country. As such, the Korean people view our public behavior as a reflection of American values, standards, and morals. It is important that we uphold and embrace a high standard of personal conduct and behave in a manner that is in keeping with the ideals of our nation and the honor of being an American service member and citizen.
- 5. Acts of indiscipline can create hostility within a local community and harm the reputation of American service members. More importantly, bad behavior can have negative outcomes at a national and strategic level and, as a result, adversely impact our Mutual Defense Alliance with the Republic of Korea. Think before you act. Every interaction we have within our host nation communities is an opportunity to make a positive impact, and leave a favorable impression on our Korean hosts. We need to make the most of these opportunities and demonstrate our value as good neighbors and partners.
- 6. I view every Soldier, Airman, civilian, contractor and family member as a United States ambassador to the Republic of Korea. I urge you to conduct yourself in a manner that displays sensitivity to the Korean culture, reflects positively on our Nation,

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and enhances our mission in this great democracy. Your responsible behavior will result in a good reputation for all Americans in the Republic of Korea and it will foster closer ties between our nations.

JAMES A. COGGIN Major General, USA Commanding

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